



PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

A petition and the required fee are submitted herewith for a one (1) month extension of time to extend the time period for reply to the Office Action dated October 3, 2005 from January 3, 2006 to February 3, 2006.

A Terminal Disclaimer and the required fee are also submitted herewith.

Please consider the remarks as follows on the accompanying pages.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-17 are all the claims pending in the application.

**I. Response to Double Patenting Rejection**

Claims 1-9 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as allegedly being unpatentable over claims 2, 6 and 10-15 of U.S. Pat. App. No. 11/138,409.